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Saturday Treat

Peanut crisp is a great favorite with so many, this Saturday we offer you 100 lbs. of our Home-made Peanut Crisp. A thin toffee with lots of peanuts in it to save sugar reg 80c - - - Saturday Price 23c

Week-end Chocolates

Owing to the increase in the price of sugar and nearly all materials used in manufacturing candy, we will have to charge you a little more. However we would rather advance the price and give you good quality, reg 40c - - - -Week-end 33c

corp and Mrs. C. B. Fairley, of Guelph spent a couple of days at J. N. O'Neill's, corp Fairley was in France for 18 months with the 20th Battalion and was severely wounded in October.

—Take a run over and see the new Wolfen Mill Building of Mr. H. Corke, then you will be delighted to poll your vote on May 20th, in favor of the By-law, to assist such a worthy industry.

Military News

Sgt. Polkinghorne, Honored for Bravery, King's Message to Mrs. Armstrong.

Pte. J. Albert Young, of Brampton, grandson of Mr. Wm. McCartney, of Georgetown, returned to his home on Sunday, April 28th, after two years of active service overseas. About 25 of his friends were present and gave him a royal welcome home. Pte. Young is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young.

Sergt. C. C. Polkinghorne has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal while serving with the Engineers. He remained for a long period in an advanced age maintaining and repairing telephone wires. His work was carried out continually under shell fire, and he showed the greatest courage and initiative in keeping the lines repaired. On one occasion, when a buried cable was broken in several places just before an attack, he worked continuously for twelve hours under intense fire until the whole line was repaired. It was due to his energy and resource that communication was maintained. Sergt. Polkinghorne went overseas in January, 1916. He was formerly manager of the ledger department of the Harris Abbot Co., Ltd. His father is G. E. Polkinghorne, of Limehouse, Ont.



Sapper Thos. J. Forgrave enlisted at Toronto January 16th, 1917, went overseas in April and to Belgium in October and to France in September, and was at Marouell, near Mt. St. Elou at the time of his death. He was struck by a piece of shell on the 28th and died of wounds on the 29th. He would have been 29 years old had he lived to the 2nd May. Before enlisting he worked in the C. P. R. freight Office, Toronto.

King's Message to Mrs. Armstrong

The King commands me to assure you of his true sympathy of His Majesty and the Queen in your sorrow.
Truly,
Secretary of State for War.

France, March 31st, 1918.
From Officer Commanding 13th Can. Light Bty. Operating Coy.
To Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong, Glen Williams, Ont.
Dear Madam:—

It is with the deepest regret that I write to advise you of the death of your son, Sapper Thos. J. Forgrave, on the 29th March, 1918. He was wounded by a piece of shell on the 28th March and was rushed to Hospital with all possible speed. Owing to the expert services rendered by the surgeons he suffered no pain. He showed exceptional fortitude and passed away with a smile on his face. He is greatly missed by the Officers and men of the Company, on account of his cheery disposition and willingness to help out any situation no matter how hard. He has proven himself to be a man worthy in every way to wear the King's uniform. He was always fearless in the face of danger and his coolness inspired confidence in all who came in contact with him. He was laid to rest in the B. B. H. Cemetery at Aubigny, between Arras and St. Pol and a minister conducted the burial service. A cross has been erected to mark his grave as that of a soldier who fell in action while doing his all to help a neighbor's cause.

A dedication service was held today in St. Y. M. C. A. but where special hymns were sung and prayers said for your loved one and those who are left to mourn the loss of a brave and fearless Canadian soldier.

Our sympathies go out to you so many miles away in your sad bereavement and also my pledge that every one of us who are left will fight to the utmost of our ability to crush the fiend who has caused such deep bereavement to be suffered by the innocent ones in our dear Home Land. All per-

Public School Report

Following is the Georgetown Public School report for April:—

Sr. IV—Honors—George Kennedy, Yvonne Adams, Mattie McPherson, Beatrice McGrath, Roy King, Dan Cook.
Pass—Hilda Edwin, Howard Hillock, Edith Hughes, Dorothy Thompson, Evelyn Search, Alvin Bell, Margaret Treanor, Jack Barber, Vivian Vint, Grace Porter, George Green, Willie McDonald, Margaret McKay.
Sr. IV—Pass—Mary Lawson, Nellie Blair, Paul Fleck, Gordon Barber, William Richmond, Eileen Bradley.
Sr. III—Honors—Tom Eason, Edith Cave, Maud McDonald, Meris Fisher.
Pass—W. Ford and C. Whitmore, D. McCartney and H. Nivens, H. Lawson, I. Leslie, E. Bethell, C. Richmond, J. Forbes, L. Laird.
Sr. II—Honors—Alleen Moore.
Pass—M. McKinnon, G. Trunk, E. Hampton, E. Shearer, D. McCuaig, W. Tuck and M. McKay, N. Hazlewood, N. Bradley, M. Hillock, D. Roe, P. Holmes, M. Fleck.
Sr. I—Honors—Ivy Spire, Jean McKenzie, Georgina Henry, Marale McDonald, Herbert Coutts, Clarence King.

COUNTY COUNCIL

The County Council met at Milton on Tuesday, April 30th.
The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed after being amended by striking out the word "unanimously" in Mr. Cleaver's motion for production and conservation.
A number of communications were read.

Readhead-Little—That the sum of \$2,545.00 be granted by this county council to the Canadian Y. M. C. A. for war work, the amount to be paid in four equal instalments, payable on the 1st day of May, the 2nd day of July, the 1st day of October and on the 27th day of December, 1918, and that this resolution be carried unanimously.—Carried.

A number of reports were presented and read from various standing committees which were afterwards considered in committee of the whole and afterwards adopted by the Council.
Mr. Mordean moved, seconded by Mr. Joe, that the County Council meet at Oakville on Wednesday, May 8th, at eleven o'clock, to inspect Aberdeen Bridge and its approaches and also inspect Tansley Bridge in the afternoon, and the committee on roads and bridges are empowered to enter into an agreement with the Toronto-Hamilton Highway Commission for such repairs to the Oakville bridge as they deem wise, such expenditure to be made without prejudice.—Carried.

Mr. Hillmer moved, seconded by Mr. Moffat, that the Auditor's Report for the year ending 1917 be received and adopted and that the clerk be instructed to the clerk to have 200 copies of same printed, sending to each member of the County Council the usual number of copies.—Carried.

Mr. Hynds moved, seconded by Mr. Turner, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to appropriate the amount received from the sale of debentures under By-law No. 428 to those municipalities participating under the said by-law and to place such amount as appropriated, in the credit of those municipalities.—Carried.
Mr. Readhead moved, seconded by Mr. Irving, that the Warden, the chairman of Good Roads Committee and the Reeve of the Township affected be appointed a committee to confer with the adjoining counties regarding the construction of continuous connecting roads in the counties.—Carried.

Mr. Readhead moved, seconded by Mr. Irving, that the clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law for the next regular meeting of this Council, under and by authority of the Act passed in the year 1916, entitled "An Act to Regulate the Road of Vehicles operated on County Highways," the Clerk to have the assistance of the County Solicitor if necessary.—Carried.



Sergt. J. W. Moore, who was killed in action on March 21st, enlisted in Georgetown and went overseas with the 2nd Batt, 1st Can. Div.

Town Council

Council met at 8 o'clock with the Reeve in the chair and members all present, Monday evening.

The minutes of the three previous meetings were read and confirmed.
Communications were read from Hydro-Electric Power system; Albert Sacks; Fuel Controller, Ottawa; Doherty Mfg. Co.; Mrs. J. M. Kennedy; J. D. Godfrey; Department of Lands, Forests and Mines; Canada Food Board, Ottawa; Le Roy Dale, and Royal Alexander Hospital, Fergus.
A Deputation from the Fire Brigade waited on the Council asking for rubber coats, boots and gloves. Mr. Hunter, F. McNally and Wm. Long addressed the Council in regard to this matter.
The Clerk was instructed to get prices on about 18 or 20 pair of rubber boots, about 20 rubber coats and about 8 pair of rubber gloves.
Mr. Herrington addressed the Council asking when the Cemetery ground would be ready for the planting of the maple trees ordered from him.
F. J. Barber addressed the Council in regard to the expense of the signs put up by the Georgetown Motor Club.
Mr. Tullock addressed the Council asking for a drain at the back of his property.
Mr. F. A. Harley addressed the Council asking for the straightening of Water Street in front of Harley-Kay's property.
Moved by Speight, seconded by Barclay, that the Clerk be instructed to refund water rates to A. Sack for such portion of same as was not used.—Carried.
Moved by Cook, seconded by Rush that the following names be added to the Georgetown Fire Brigade: Leonard Harding, proposed by K. McDonald and Robt Hynds, proposed by Robt Erwin.—Carried.
Moved by Barclay, seconded by Speight that the Clerk be instructed to refund water rates to Mrs. J. M. Kennedy for such portion of same as was not used, She having obtained water from the spring near her residence and from Mr. Cartley's pump.—Carried.
Moved by Rush, seconded by Barclay, that By-law No. 427 prohibiting the coasting with express wagons, tricycles and Kiddie coasters on the sidewalks within the Municipality of Georgetown be now read a second and third time and finally passed and that the seal of the Corporation be attached thereto.—Carried.

Moved by Cook, seconded by Cook that the following Hydro accounts be paid:—
Postmaster, stamps.....\$ 4 00
G. A. Henry, horses..... 5 50
J. B. McKenzie..... 4 12
Bell Telephone, office and Electricians house..... 12 96
J. T. Cameron, express..... 8 61
J. M. Cass, inspection..... 6 00
Hydro-Electric P. Com. supplies..... 37 14
Hydro-Electric P. Com., power for March..... 804 00
Northern Electric Co. supplies..... 28 20
McDonald & Willson, supplies..... 16 50
Central Electric Co., supplies..... 224 78
L. V. Hourigan, supplies..... 1 15
J. W. Keagney, supplies..... 5 07
H. Lutz, inspecting meter —Carried

Moved by Cook seconded by Speight that the following accounts be paid:—
Hydro-Electric System lamp town hall.....\$ 1 40
Hydro Electric light for town hall..... 5 40
Hydro-Electric St. lights form Jan to March..... 407 10
Bell Tel. Co. cost of moving tel. to Constable res. 1 00
Bell Tel. Co. town hall..... 6 00
W. Ward, sta. and walks 4 00
Gutta Percha Rubber Co., 800 ft fire hose..... 876 58
King Edward Sanatorium Mr Bridge..... 19 01
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GLENN WILLIAMS
Sr. IV—Borden Marchmont, 89; Elsie McMaster, 77.
Int. IV—Stephon Halpin, 72; Bewsie Forgrave, 55; Madeline Mullen, 70; Lizzie Given, 54.
Sr. IV—Eddie McMaster, 88; Harold Wheeler, 68; Willie Beaumont, 80; Norma Gilman, 68; Jack Addy, 60; Della Wheeler, 55; Emma Beaumont, 68.
Sr. III—Marie Graham, 89; Ernest Forgrave, 89; Sadie Bell, 81; Annie McMenemy, 80; Russell Wheeler, 66; Sadie Gregory, 61; Viola Logan, 54; Ivy Huntley, 54; Tommy Haines, 54.
Sr. II—Lily Leslie, 71; Bert Marchmont, 74; Anna Cooper, 72; Rupert Beaumont, 71; Brock Beaumont, 51.
Junior Department
A Class—Sarah Halpin, 248; Ivy Haines, 243; Emily Norton, 242; Grace McMenemy, 238; Willie Allen, 237; Donald Appleyard, 223. Total 300.
B Class—Winston Wheeler, 183; George Cooper, 177; Joe Marchmont, 169; Franklin Logan, 149; Willie Chapman, absent. Total 300.
C Class—Sammy Allen, 137; Albert Tracy, 119; Jack Norton, 118; Bob Beaumont, 116; Stanley Logan, 108. Total 150.
D Class—Robert Simpson, 136; Jack Graham, 135; Willie Hone, 131; Annie McNally, 131; Hazel Huntley, 124. Total 150.
E Class—Marie Davison, 142; Sandy Norton, 138; Franklin Gilman, 127; Jack Beaumont, 119; Freddie Green, 82; Alfred Bell, 80. Total 150.
F Class—Helen McMenemy, 94; Luella Reid, 93; Jack Roberts, 90; Catherine Allen, 89; Edward Blair, 88; Mary Wheeler, 86; Mary Haines, 85; Sammy Hood, 82; Eleanor Allen, 82; Elva Brookbank, 76; Mabel McNally, absent. Johnnie Hood, absent. Total 100.
M. E. Currie.
M. E. Wright, Teachers.